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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 9736
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STATE FOR S/NM; US CUSTOMS FOR DAVID P. BANOWETZ,
ACTING DIRECTOR INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS DIVISION

EO 11652: NA
TAGS: SNAR, TH
SUBJECT: US CUSTOMS EXECUTIVE OBSERVATION PROGRAM FOR
DIRECTOR-GENERAL, ROYAL THAI CUSTOMS

1. MR. NARK WAIYAHONGSE, DIRECTOR-GENERAL REQUESTS PERMISSION TO INCLUDE A ONE DAY STOP OVER IN PARIS, FRANCE AS PART OF OBSERVATION TOUR ITINERARY.
2. THE PURPOSE OF THE VISIT IS TO ESTABLISH LIAISON WITH THE US CUSTOMS ATTACHE AND THE DRUG ENFORCEMENT REGIONAL OFFICE IN PARIS. IT WILL PROVIDE THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL AND PARTY AN OPPORTUNITY TO COORDINATE AND DISCUSS ITEMS OF MUTUAL INTEREST CONCERNING NARCOTICS TRAFFICKING AND GENERAL SMUGGLING TRENDS IN AND OUT OF EUROPE, AS SUCH SMUGGLING RELATES TO THAILAND.
3. AN IMMEDIATE REPLY IS REQUESTED TO PERMIT AIRLINE SCHEDULING. UTILIZATION OF NON-US AIRLINE MAY BE REQUIRED. REQUEST WASHINGTON WAIVER OF REQUIREMENT TO FLY US UPON CONDITION SCHEDULE OF TRAINING PROVIDED BY WASHINGTON CANNOT OTHERWISE BE MET.

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4. SINCE INSUFFICIENT TIME TO PROCESS PER DIEM ADVANCE, NO ALLOTMENT HAVING BEEN RECEIVED, EMBASSY RECOMMENDS THAT PER DIEM BE PAID IN WASHINGTON, D.C. DIRECTOR-GENERAL AND PARTY AGREEABLE TO THIS ARRANGEMENT. ABRAMOWITZ

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